

Jacksonville Daily Journal

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 25, 1904.

EXPLANATION DEMANDED FOR FIRING ON BRITISH FISHING VESSEL

England Aroused by Action of
Russian Baltic Fleet—Note
Sent Deploring Incident—
Waiting for Full Report.

Hull, England, Oct. 24.—A. M. Jackson & Co., solicitors for the owners of fifty Hull fishing boats, have notified the foreign office and admiralty of an attack on the Hull fishing fleet by the Russian second Pacific squadron (the Baltic squadron). The official information is that shortly after midnight Friday the Russian squadron fell in with the Hull fishing fleet in the North sea. The first portion of the fishing fleet passed safely. Then the Russian ships turned their searchlights on the British vessels for some time and a little later opened fire. The steam trawler Crane was sunk and the decapitated bodies of her skipper and mates have been brought to Hull. The boatswain and other members of the crew, who are understood to be seriously wounded, are on board a mission ship. A slightly injured member of the crew has arrived at Hull.

The steam trawlers Monmouth and Mino have arrived at Hull seriously damaged by shots, the latter having sixteen holes in her hull. It is feared that other damage was done to trawlers and that at least one more was lost with all hands.

London, Oct. 24.—Great Britain has sent an urgent note to Russia, giving the circumstances of the attack by Russia's Pacific squadron during the night of Oct. 21 on the British fishing fleet in the North sea. The text of the note was not given out, but it is officially stated from the foreign office that it contains the significant announcement that "the situation is one which in the opinion of his majesty's government does not brook delay."

Meanwhile the conservative public and press are remarkably undemonstrative. As usual, the huge element demand war, and even in official quarters some go so far as to say it may be necessary to stop the Pacific fleet pending settlement of the whole affair. Through this extreme measure, it is believed, will not be necessary. "Everywhere there is a very positive opinion that this is no time for the usual diplomatic delay and dallying, that there must be no delay and no shifting by Russia, but complete apology for the unwarrantable attack of the Baltic squadron. The text of the king's message of sympathy to the mayor of Hull is as follows:

"The king commands me to say that he has heard with profound sorrow of the unwarrantable action which has been committed against the North sea fishing fleet and asks you to express the deepest sympathy of the queen and his majesty with the families of those who have suffered from the most lamentable occurrence."

Francis Knollys, baron of Eversham, is private secretary of King Edward. The message of the Russian government and its willingness to make full reparation as soon as the responsibility is fixed was communicated by the Associated Press to Lord Lansdowne and was the first information on the subject he had received from St. Petersburg. Absence during the day of Count Benckendorff, Russian ambassador, necessarily caused some delay, but the Russian charge d'affaires, who called at the foreign office on request of Lord Lansdowne, unofficially expressed deep regret, and as far as it was possible for him to do so, gave assurance of speedy action by the Russian government.

Lansdowne in this interview told the charge that he desired to see Ambassador Benckendorff "Tuesday morning." Lansdowne asked Sansonoff if he could offer any explanation on the affair and the latter replied he only knew what had appeared in the papers and that he had not received any word up to that time from St. Petersburg. Lansdowne gave no suggestion as to what might be done in the matter.

All eyes are now turned toward St. Petersburg awaiting word from the Russian government. Earl Onslow, president of the board of agriculture, speaking in Stirlingshire to night, said it would be well if explanations were not sought for this "extraordinary incident" until the country had some authentic information. The whole affair, he said, seemed so unaccountable that one could not help feeling sure there would be an explanation of what must have been a gigantic blunder. Onslow added that the country might rely upon one thing, namely, that the emperor of Russia, who is known throughout the world for his feelings of humanity, could not fail to be depressed by such an incident.

WORLD MUST WAIT

No Explanation Made by Russians of the North Sea Incident.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 24.—(Midnight).—No official or unofficial Russian explanation of the unfortunate affair off Dogger bank is forthcoming up to this time and the world must wait until tomorrow to hear Admiral Rojestvensky's version of firing upon the British fishermen. Rojestvensky has communicated direct to the emperor, but at 11:30 to night the admiral announced it had not yet received a report. At the same hour the foreign office issued a statement expressing regret of the government for the deplorable incident, but explaining no formal action is possible until Rojestvensky's official report has been received.

While no formal action has been taken, the deepest regret is expressed in all quarters and the purpose of the government to make amends if Rojestvensky shall be found to have been in fault has been proclaimed in every government department. Emperor Nicholas himself was greatly angered when he heard the news and Foreign Minister Lamsdorf expressed to Ambassador Harding his deepest personal regrets. The Russian embassy at London has also been directed to convey similar expressions to Great Britain. It is felt that this is all that can be done pending Rojestvensky's statement. That an abhorrible blunder has been committed is recognized and deplored everywhere and nowhere has an attempt been made to justify firing upon innocent fishermen. It is felt Rojestvensky is too good a man and officer to be summarily condemned. It is agreed he is entitled to a hearing, but even the admiral regretfully admits it is at a loss to understand what explanation could justify such an apparently cold-blooded act as the affair is made to appear by foreign reports. Failure of the trawlers with their nets out to obey signals from the Russian warships or nervousness of some officer who imagined fishermen working with their nets in the water were laying mines may be responsible for the blunder.

In diplomatic circles gravity and delicacy of the situation is recognized. Unquestionably nervousness exists, but in view of the sentiment in government circles here the feeling prevails that an amicable adjustment will be reached. This evening the consular press all telegrams relating to the subject, which immediately became the all-absorbing topic in every public report. The war in the far east seemingly was temporarily forgotten.

WORD SENT WASHINGTON.
Washington, Oct. 24.—Official news of the action of the Russian Baltic fleet in firing on British fishing vessels reached Washington to day in a cablegram from the American consul at Hull to the state department. He recited the facts as stated in press dispatches, and added great excitement prevailed there.

DUMBFOUNDED.
St. Petersburg, Oct. 24.—Official information from Vice Admiral Rodjensky, commander of the second Pacific squadron, and from other Russian sources had not reached the authorities up to 2 p. m. in regard to firing by the squadron upon the British fishing boats early Saturday in the North sea. Authorities are dumbfounded by press reports of the affair and cannot credit the accounts as presented. For this reason the censor to day declined to allow the publication of foreign accounts of the affair.

RUSSIAN TORPEDO BOATS.
Cherbourg, France, Oct. 24.—The advance guard of the Russian second Pacific squadron, consisting of torpedo boats, is in the outer harbor. The main squadron is expected here, but it is uncertain whether the warships will enter the harbor. The vessels which first arrived here were not with the larger ships when the latter fired on the British fishing boats in the North sea. Therefore it is impossible to obtain a Russian version of the affair. The torpedo boats were surrounded by guard boats and the utmost vigilance maintained owing to fears of Japanese ships being in the channel. No person was permitted to approach them and no person allowed to come ashore except the postman.

SIGHTED RUSSIAN SHIPS.
Portsmouth, Eng., Oct. 24.—Vessels arriving at Portsmouth report having sighted four Russian torpedo boat destroyers and four battleships making for Cherbourg. One of the battleships appeared to have broken down.

STEAMSHIP INJURED.
London, Oct. 24.—The steamship Espérance, due to sail from Barry with provisions for the Russian Baltic fleet, was found to day to be in a sinking condition, her hull having been pierced below the water line. The injury is not explained, but it must have been done to day, and it is suggested locally that it is the wanton act of some man employed about the ship in resentment of the North sea incident.

HELD IN READINESS.
St. Johns, N. F., Oct. 24.—The British cruiser Charleyville received orders this evening to be in readiness to proceed to England on a moment's notice. The training ship Calypso has been ordered to arrange for mobilization of 500 men of the Newfoundland naval reserve. There is much excitement in naval circles here.

READ THE JOURNAL. 10c A WEEK.

Fairbanks

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR VICE
PRESIDENT WILL BE IN

JACKSONVILLE

FOR ONE HOUR

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 26

And will address the citizens of Morgan county near the Wabash depot

At 3 O'clock P. M.

GUARDED BY POLICE

Russian Embassy at London Surrounded by Cordon of Officers.

London, Oct. 24.—A strong force of police guarded the Russian embassy throughout the night. After occupying from the hostile crowd that met him at the station Count Benckendorff, Russian ambassador, drove at a gallop to the embassy. A half dozen rowdies followed him, but he arrived unharmed and his pursuers encountered a cordon of police that had been dispatched to guard the embassy. After singing "Rule Britannia" the disturbers dispersed, no arrests being made, but the police continued to guard the embassy as if it was a British fortress.

The ambassador to night summoned his secretary Mirsky to write a long cipher message to St. Petersburg, describing to night's hostile demonstration. The ambassador would make no statement, but it is said his dispatch may increase the existing delicacy of the situation. Mirsky pronounced the attack on the trawlers a great mistake, but did not believe that either that incident or to night's affair would likely produce a clash between the two powers.

THE KING'S DONATION.
London, Oct. 24.—King Edward sent to the mayor of Hull \$1,000 as his donation for the families of the victims of the North sea firing.

Balfour telegraphed the mayor of Hull as follows: "You may have full confidence in the government's action."

HELD TO GRAND JURY.
Des Moines, Oct. 24.—S. T. Shaw, cashier of a bank at Pleasanton, Iowa, who made an assignment recently, has been held to the grand jury at Leon for responsibility for the bank failure. Shaw is accused of having borrowed \$5,000 from the bank on his individual note without giving security and is unable to explain what became of the money. It is stated the bank was able to pay out in full.

WAS BRANDED.
Des Moines, Oct. 24.—Roland Hunnewell, of Perese, Iowa, has brought suit for \$5,000 against the Woodman lodge of that city. Hunnewell claims he was on his person the brand of a red hot iron, inflicted during initiation, and claims he has never fully recovered from the shock.

RUSSIAN HOOTED.
London, Oct. 24.—There was a hostile demonstration at Victoria station upon the arrival of Count Benckendorff, Russian ambassador to Great Britain. A crowd gathered and hooted him and attempted to break the windows of his carriage.

JAPANESE PRISONERS.
Hartford, Oct. 24.—A number of Japanese prisoners have been brought to this place. The Japanese are heavily fortifying the village of Lamuting. It is reported the Russians have buried 700 Japanese who were killed defending Lone Tree hill.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER OF WOMAN.
Des Moines, Oct. 24.—Homer D. Wright was arrested at his home in Ottumwa, Iowa, to night, charged with the murder of Mary Chesser, a woman killed in that city Saturday night. Wright is said to have been in the house at the time of the murder, which is now thought to have been committed in a tree-for-all fight.

MAJOR DELMAR

Broke World's Record at Memphis Monday.

Memphis, Oct. 24.—Major Delmar, owned by E. E. Smathers, established a new world's mark for unpaired trotters to day when he circled the track in 2:04. The previous mark was 2:04 1/2, held jointly by Major Delmar and Lou Dillon. To day's performance was cheered by a large crowd and horsemen generally were of the opinion that had weather conditions been more favorable he would have made even a lower mark. Delmar stopped the first quarter in 31 seconds flat, half in 1:00 1/2 and three-quarters in 1:39 1/2. In the run home Delmar perceptibly tired and passed the judges' stand in 2:04 1/2.

Day Patch, racing champion, failed to break his own mark of 1:59 1/2. 31 1/2 times was 2:00 1/2. Both horses were accompanied by runners on the side. Summaries:

The Sunny South, 2:13 pace, \$2,000; five starters:
The Broncho 1 1/2
Ash Rose 2 3/4
Birdie B. 3 3/4
Best time—2:07.

Dr. Francis 1 1/2
Dolph 2 3/4
Best time—2:05 1/2.

2:30 pace, \$1,000; three starters:
Talbot Rogers, of Pon du Lac, Wyo., to strike out the words "Protesting" Episcopal from the title page of the book of common prayer.

Rev. Francis Tate was to day elected assistant bishop of South Dakota.

BASE BALL MEETING.
New York, Oct. 24.—The annual meeting of the National Association of Base Ball Leagues opened here to day with representatives of twenty-three leagues present. Late in the afternoon the national board went into executive session to consider thirty-one disputes and formally submitted questions, including the application of the Tri-State league for membership.

MADE CONFESSION.
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COCKRAN IN COLORADO.
Denver, Oct. 24.—W. Bourke Cockran addressed a large audience here to night. He discussed the Colorado situation resulting from the miners' strike and production and trusts.

THE FIFTH DEATH.
St. Louis, Oct. 24.—William Morris, the self-confessed train robber, died to night as the result of wounds received in the battle with detectives last Friday. This is the fifth death resulting from "train" fight.

BURLINGTON REPORT.
Chicago, Oct. 24.—The annual report of the Burlington road shows a decrease of \$1,217,556 in net earnings, caused by increased expenses. Receipts of the company were \$2,352,575 over the preceding fiscal year.

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DEATHS.
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RACHED AN AGREEMENT

DIVORCE QUESTION SET
TLED BY EPISCOPALIANS

Leading Churchmen Claim Re-marriage of Divorced Persons Will Be Rare in Their Church Hereafter.

Boston, Oct. 24.—An agreement on the divorce question was reached to day by the bishops and deputies of the Episcopal general convention after many days of discussion. That section of the canon bearing directly on the marriage of divorced persons which was amended by the bishops Saturday was assented to by the deputies to day and became effective at once. It is as follows:

"No minister, knowingly, after due inquiry, shall solemnize the marriage of any person who has been or is the husband or wife of another person then living from whom he or she has been divorced for any cause arising after marriage. But this canon shall not be held to apply to the innocent party in a divorce for adultery; provided, that before application for such remarriage a period of not less than one year shall have elapsed after granting of such divorce, and that satisfactory evidence touching facts in the case, including copies of the court's decree and record, if practicable, with such proof of defendant as was served or appeared in the action, to be held before the ecclesiastical authority, and such ecclesiastical authority having taken such advice shall be declared in writing that in his judgment the case of the applicant conforms to the requirements of this canon; and, provided further, that it shall be within the discretion of any minister to decline to solemnize any marriage."

The bishops and an amendment to the section referring to administration of sacraments, providing that if a clergyman shall have reasonable cause to doubt whether a person has been married otherwise as the word of God, and discipline of this church allowed, such clergyman shall refer the matter to the bishop before administering the sacrament. The deputies had made an exception in favor of an innocent party divorced on the ground of adultery who had remarried, but the bishops struck out the exception. Their action was accepted by the deputies to day.

Leading churchmen expressed the opinion that reactions placed upon the marriage of an innocent party to a divorce are so stringent that remarriage of divorced persons will be rare in the church hereafter. It is understood, however, an attempt will be made to have the next convention specifically declare against remarriage under any conditions.

The deputies to day rejected after a long debate a resolution introduced by Rev. D. Talbot Rogers, of Pon du Lac, Wyo., to strike out the words "Protesting" Episcopal from the title page of the book of common prayer.

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CHANGES HIS TACTICS

Parker Talks of Campaign Abuses and Practices of Administration.

Esopus, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Judge Parker to day laid aside issues usually discussed in national political contests and addressed a crowd of several hundred persons in the general topic of campaign practices and abuses. He rebuked the present administration for the part government officials are alleged to be taking in the campaign. He charged officers of the government are now practically chosen by a handful of corporate managers who contribute assets of the corporations to keep the conduct of government in hands they consider best for their private interests.

New York, Oct. 24.—Tammany leaders of the east side, the Democratic candidate for president and William Travers Jerome, district attorney, attended a performance at the Grand Street theatre and later a dinner at a restaurant nearby. The theatre was packed and the streets for blocks around were so congested that a force of police was required to open a passageway from the theatre to the restaurant. In the theatre when the Parker party entered the applause was so great that the performance was stopped for twenty minutes with the cast of the play unable to proceed or leave the stage. Many calls were made for a speech, but Parker only smiled and bowed. When the demonstration subsided the play proceeded.

While the dinner was in progress at the conclusion of the play police lines were maintained and the crowd was kept out of the square in front of the cafe. The dinner continued nearly two hours and then the candidate went to his apartments at the Hotel Seville, where he remained until Thursday night or Friday, conferring with his political lieutenants and advisers.

BRYAN'S CAMPAIGN.
Hamilton, Ohio, Oct. 24.—William J. Bryan to night concluded his tour of Ohio for the Democratic national ticket with a speech in this city. Twenty-one towns were visited to day, beginning at Wheeling, W. Va., and closing here to night. He was greeted by an immense crowd. Bryan reviewed his speeches of the day, embracing national issues, which he spoke for or against. He will reach Toledo, Ohio, early to-morrow morning and leave for Indianapolis, Ind., and spend two days in Indiana. He will make one speech in Kansas City, Mo., Thursday night and then return to Nebraska for a number of addresses in his home state.

HILL CONFIDENT.
New York, Oct. 24.—In an interview David B. Hill to day confidently expressed the opinion the Democrats would carry Maryland, West Virginia and Indiana, states where he has been campaigning for the past two weeks. He also expressed satisfaction with the situation in New York.

NOTHING NEW FROM SEAT OF WAR.
St. Petersburg, Oct. 24.—There is no news of immediate importance from the far east to night. Indications are both sides are heavily entrenched, though it is believed Kuropatkin will be ready for a forward move at an early moment unless heavy Japanese reinforcements compel him to remain on the defensive. Reports that Japanese reinforcements are arriving, taken in connection with enforced inactivity of the Russian forces on account of the weather, are felt to be a grave factor in the situation.

Only \$2.95 Jacksonville to St. Louis and return via THE ALTON daily until Nov. 30, inclusive. Final limit seven days from date.

Needed an Examination.
Representative Bourke Cockran was seated in his law office one day recently when one of the clerks announced a visitor. The visitor was very busy, but the man refused to tell his business to a clerk, insisting that it was a personal matter and he must see Mr. Cockran himself.

"Well, show him in," said the lawyer finally in disgust. "I want to get some legal advice," Mr. Cockran said the visitor, "and I came to you because I am a poor man and cannot afford to pay a real lawyer."

"What do you mean?" thundered the representative indignantly. "Well, I mean that as a politician you will not be hard on one of your constituents. Besides, I have an honest claim on you; my aunt does waiting for one of your consins."

"My dear sir," said the lawyer in his most withering tones as he ushered the visitor out, "you don't want to see a lawyer. You want to see a nerve specialist."—New York Herald.

Silencing a Bore.
In a company of literary men in London a bore who thought he wrote poetry, after complaining that the critics had entered into a conspiracy of silence against him, asked one of his hearers what he would advise him to do. "Join it," was the reply.

JUDGE PARKER MISINFORMED

Information Not Kept From Public

Statement Issued by Acting Secretary of Treasury Regarding Charge Made by Democratic Candidate for President.

Washington, Oct. 24.—Acting Secretary of the Treasury Taylor in a statement issued to day says the charge made by Judge Parker that there have been administration orders issued forbidding publication of information concerning governmental expenditures is a mistake and that Parker has been misinformed. The only order issued concerning estimated expenses was that no subordinate should make any estimates public until the heads of departments had gone over them with the president and they had been approved. Taylor, in conclusion, says if Parker would apply to the treasury department for information as to methods of government business and condition of public finances he would get prompt and accurate information and avoid the embarrassment of being led into very palpable errors.

SENATOR FAIRBANKS

Delivered a Number of Speeches in Ohio Yesterday.

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 24.—Senator Fairbanks concluded a strenuous day of campaigning with a speech here to night. His tour of Ohio to day began across the Ohio river from Wheeling and ended in the capital city to night. Between Wheeling and Columbus stops were made at various places.

Michigan will be traversed by Fairbanks to-morrow. The first speech will be at Monroe very early in the morning. Stops in Michigan include Monroe, Adrian, Tecumseh, Manchester, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Chelsea, Lansing and Grand Rapids.

In his speech here to night, Fairbanks defended the Republican administration against Democratic charges of extravagance and declared the charges were unfounded. He made special reference to Democratic statements concerning the cost of the Philippines and said the war department records "show these statements are grossly incorrect."

SECRETARY SHAW.
New York, Oct. 24.—Secretary Shaw addressed a largely attended meeting at New Rochelle to night. His speech was mainly devoted to condemnation of recent estimates of Edward Atkinson, which have been repeated by Judge Parker. Shaw denied the correctness of these estimates and cited figures to support his contention.

WAIT SUMMARY.
There has been no resumption of fighting of a general character on the Shalke river. Both Japanese and Russians are entrenching their positions, outposts are within seven hundred yards of each other and less than four miles separates the main armies. Scarcely of fuel is causing soldiers to suffer greatly since the cold weather set in. St. Petersburg has information the Japanese army confronting Kuropatkin is receiving heavy reinforcements from the Port Arthur army and direct from Japan.

CRUISER'S TRIAL TRIP.
Rockport, Me., Oct. 24.—In the official trial trip to day the cruiser Colorado made an average speed of twenty-two knots.

BETTER THAN PILLS.
The question has been asked—"In what way are Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets superior to the ordinary cathartic and liver pills? Our answer is—They are easier and more pleasant to take and their effect is so gentle and so agreeable that one hardly realizes that it is produced by a medicine. Then they not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and aid the digestion. For sale at 25 cents per bottle by all leading druggists."

MURDER AND SUICIDE.
Minneapolis, Oct. 24.—Last night Charles Brown, aged 49, fatally shot Mrs. Pauline Wells, 38, and then killed himself, because the woman refused to marry him.

DEATHS.
London, Oct. 24.—Lady Dilke, wife of Hon. Sir Charles Wentworth Dilke, died suddenly to day the result of bursting a blood vessel at her residence in Woking.

If troubled with a weak digestion try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will do you good. For sale by all leading druggists.

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JACKSONVILLE TIME CARD

Time of departure of trains:
GOING NORTH.

C. & A.—	
Chicago (Peoria, Sunday only)	6:20 am
Chicago-Peoria, ex. Sunday	10:50 am
Chicago-Peoria	6:28 pm
For Chicago	9:05 am
C. P. & St. L.—	
Peoria, daily	7:25 am
Peoria, daily	3:25 pm
Peoria, ac. frt., ex. Sunday	11:10 am
J. & St. L.—	
For Concord	11:30 am

SOUTH AND WEST.

C. & A.—	
For Kansas City	9:31 am
For Kansas City	11:50 pm
For Kansas City	6:52 am
For St. Louis	6:40 am
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	9:31 am
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	4:22 pm
J. & St. L.—	
For St. Louis	7:05 am
For St. Louis	3:15 pm

GOING WEST.

Wabash—	
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	7:06 am
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	6:50 pm
Decatur Accommodation	10:10 am
Kansas City Mail	1:43 pm

GOING EAST.

Wabash—	
For Toledo	8:33 am
For Toledo	8:51 pm
Decatur Accommodation	10:10 am
Buffalo Mail	1:20 pm

Time of arrival of trains:
FROM NORTH.

C. P. & St. L., daily	11:10 am
C. P. & St. L., daily	7:25 pm
C. P. & St. L., ex. Sunday	9:45 am

FROM SOUTH.

C. & A., ex. Sunday	10:53 am
C. & A., ex. Sunday	6:28 pm
C. & A., daily	11:50 pm
C. & A., ex. Sunday	3:05 am
J. & St. L.,	11:15 am
J. & St. L.,	7:47 pm



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City and County

C. C. May is visiting his parents in Perry.

W. R. James is spending a few days in Mt. Vernon.

Sale on skirts at the Leader.

Fred Germain has returned from the world's fair.

J. L. Chard was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. W. Sargent was a business visitor in Franklin Monday.

Allegretti, Vickery & Merrigan, Percy Fernandes spent Sunday with friends in Orleans.

Mrs. Charles Mathews is suffering from an attack of fever.

COAL BUCKETS. RAYHILL'S.

Fred Walker represented Alexander in the city Monday.

Charles Cruse is spending a few days at the world's fair.

T. D. Wilson is ready to put on shell roofing, Best on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Pagett, of Virginia, were city shoppers Monday.

F. R. Morgan spent Monday in Hannibal, Mo., on business.

Boys' suits at cost at the Leader.

Harold Vieira, of Denver, Colo., is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. S. A. Olson, of Manchester, is visiting friends in Franklin.

Allegretti, Vickery & Merrigan.

Mrs. Mary Rafter, of Waverly, was a Jacksonville shopper Monday.

Miss Mae Stevenson is ill at her home on West College avenue.

Apple butter at Leck's grocery, East State street.

Mrs. S. Rohrer, of Waverly, was shopping in Jacksonville Monday.

W. R. Gann, of Sylvan, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Save 1/2 on millinery at Leader.

Silas Mathews, of Sinclair, was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Miss Harriet Andre has returned from a journey to the world's fair.

Mrs. G. W. Fanning, of Franklin, was shopping in the city Monday.

BOSTON BAKED BEAN POTS at RAYHILL'S.

Mrs. J. H. Ritch, of Minneapolis, Minn., is visiting friends in Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fish have returned from a short visit to the fair.

Miss Bessie Watson, of Woodson, was a Jacksonville shopper yesterday.

William M. Rees, of Franklin, was calling on Jacksonville friends Monday.

The Magnolia white meal, KILN DRIED, made by the Fitzsimmons-Kreider Milling company.

Misses May Reeves and Lena Trotter have returned from the St. Louis fair.

Miss Bertha Foskin was among the Franklin shoppers in the city yesterday.

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Dr. Thomas Willerton was a professional visitor in Bluffs and Chapin Sunday.

Mrs. L. S. Lott and daughter, Mrs. Ed Phillips, have returned from a world's fair visit.

Sauer kraut at Leck's.

Mrs. M. M. Wood and daughter, Emma, are visiting friends in Franklin this week.

Mrs. A. J. Burtatt and children, of Franklin, spent the day in Jacksonville Monday.

TINWARE at RAYHILL'S.

GRANITEWARE at RAYHILL'S.

William Alexander, advance agent for the "Liberty Bells," was in the city Monday.

H. P. Foster and son, of Havana, were calling on Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Millinery cheapest at the Leader.

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Bon Hokenbush, Joe Ludwig and William Wolke have returned from a visit to the world's fair.

The Magnolia white meal, KILN DRIED, made by the Fitzsimmons-Kreider Milling company.

W. F. Calvin, of Calhoun county, was in the city Monday enroute to Franklin for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Margaret Steiner, of Emerson, Iowa, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Reeves.

\$7.15 to Chicago and return via THE ALTON Nov. 27, 28 and 29. Final limit Dec. 2. Don't miss this excursion to Chicago.

Mrs. Lou Daggart, of Virginia, and Mrs. Molly Plummer, of Iowa, were shopping in the city Monday.

Mrs. M. McCool went to Carlinville Monday, where she will spend the winter with her daughter.

Try a Famous 5c cigar.

Marian Rodfern and family, of Waverly, are visiting at the pleasant home of G. L. Stice in Sinclair.

Mrs. John Galt, of Springfield, spent Sunday at the home of W. H. Richards on East North street.

Fresh country butter and eggs at Leck's grocery, East State street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dean expected to depart for Miami, Fla., this morning.

Mrs. Cora Jameson, of Kansas City, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Anna Magill on East College avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, of Chicago, were in this city Monday enroute for St. Louis. Mrs. Armstrong was formerly Miss Mabelle Bruner.

W. W. Harvey, wife and son, of Gouverneur, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stice on East State street.

Winter tourist tickets on sale at Jacksonville via THE ALTON daily. It costs no more to travel THE ONLY WAY.

Mrs. Frank Grassly, who has been visiting friends in this city, has returned to her home in Shenandoah, Iowa.

Flour, feed; McCarthy, 311 N. Main.

The Sewing circle of State Street Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. W. S. Terry.

Mr. Mehrlich, an organizer for the Modern American lodge, will be here to day and speak at the meeting of that order to night.

Dill pickles, sweet pickles and sour pickles at Leck's grocery, East State.

C. W. Reynolds, wife and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Indianapolis, are expected in the city to day to attend the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reynolds.

REMEMBER, WE ARE SHOWING NEW THINGS IN HAVILAND CHINA. RAYHILL.

S. D. Osborne submitted to a preliminary operation by Dr. J. W. Hargrove at Passavant hospital Monday morning and serious conditions were disclosed.

R. M. Burgess, Miss Nicolls, Mrs. Nicolls, Miss Ackerman, Mrs. Rucker and Mrs. Egges were members of a Springfield party that spent Sunday in this city.

Ernest Harlow, who is employed with the International Correspondence school, with headquarters at Canton, Ill., spent Sunday with relatives here.

Henry Northrup, Richard Butler and Oliver Mason spent Monday in Pittsfield, where they had been summoned as witnesses in the drainage case now being tried there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall Miller have returned from an extended tour of the state of Mississippi and other southern points on business and pleasure combined.

E. Higgins and wife, of Wichita, Kans., were in the city Monday enroute to Virginia. They were formerly of this city and will be remembered by many of their old friends.

Round trip rates to southern and southeastern points at less than one fare via THE ALTON Tuesday, Nov. 15.

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GRADING AT NICHOLS PARK.

The bridge across the lake at Nichols park has been constructed and considerable work will be necessary to prepare the approaches to it. A large amount of grading must be done and several persons have agreed to donate the use of men and teams for the purpose. The park is for all alike and is an enterprise all should be willing to help and in which every public-spirited citizen will take an interest. All the persons who are willing to give some team work will confer a favor by notifying Robert Cassell at Cassell Bros., T. H. Buckthorpe, or S. W. Nichols. Scrapers will be provided and all that is asked will be teams and men. Daily the park is being improved and the next effort will be for grading, laying out walks and drives and planting of trees. As fast as means will permit this will be done and all assistance will be gratefully received by the commission.

See our ladies' \$2.85 shoes: elegant style, perfect fitting, quality unsurpassed. HOFFMAN BROS.

REV. MR. ROBERTS HERE.

Rev. James G. Roberts, formerly pastor of the Congregational church of this city, is a guest at the home of G. S. Russell on West College avenue. Mr. Roberts was a resident of Jacksonville from about 1862, or 1863, to 1869, going then to Kansas City, where he ministered to a church for some years. He finally settled in the east and has been a citizen of Brooklyn for a long time. He is a gentleman of fine ability, unusual eloquence and a deep thinker, and his ministry has been much prospered.

MAY PLAY KNOX.

Manager Jay Wemple, of the Illinois college foot ball eleven, received a letter from the manager of the Knox college eleven, asking for a game on the Knox field, Saturday, Nov. 5. The local eleven will play at Monmouth Thursday, Nov. 3, and it will probably be left to the team as to whether they want to play two such hard games in one week. Knox and Illinois are old time rivals, but they have not met on the gridiron for several seasons.

NOTICE.

Persons desiring instruction in dancing should attend Piepenbrink's dancing school on Wednesday evenings. Arrangements can be made by calling Illinois phone No. 490, or calling at 218 South Main street.

NEW BUILDING.

Messrs. Tom and Carpenter have let the contract for the erection of another brick building, 75x40 feet, on their lot just east of the building which they have now well under way adjoining the old fire department building on West Morgan street. William Nunn began Monday excavating for the basement, which will extend under the entire length of the building. The construction work has been let to C. C. Carter and it is expected that the building will be ready for occupancy by Jan. 1. The new structure will be of brick with concrete block front and two stories in height.

The upper story will be used for office rooms and Messrs. Tom and Carpenter will have an office in the new building. The building recently put in course of construction will be finished about Nov. 15 and may be occupied by the Economical Store works.

Fuel. Walton & Co.

Water will be shut off on East Morgan street from the square to East street; on South East street from Morgan street to the brook; on East College street from South Main street to Hardin avenue.

Geo. W. Scott, Water Superintendent.

Don't forget to day to get a season ticket to the L. C. lecture course. Start at 10 o'clock.

BOONVILLE CLUB. The Boonville club will leave this morning for Channahville for their annual hunt at the club house on the Sangamon river, about ten miles west of that city. The new club house is excellently equipped for the purpose for which it is intended and the members of the club expect to enjoy a very pleasant time.

NOTICE.

All members of the Deane drum and bugle corps are requested to meet at Armory hall Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., with uniforms.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

F. J. Heigold to M. E. Craig, w/2 lot 3 of ne. 4-15-10; \$8,000.

J. Collins to Anna Hauback, ne. sec. 8-15-11; \$3,000.

E. J. Strawbridge to Mary E. McInton, release deed; \$1.

SOLD PRINTING OFFICE.

Frank H. Thomas has retired from the printing business, having sold out to Len G. Magill, who has been in his employ for some months. Mr. Thomas expects to take up other work.

Mr. Thomas entered the printing business in this city in 1891, when he began work for the late J. J. Ironmonger. Upon the death of Mr. Ironmonger he associated himself with his son, Frank Ironmonger, and shortly afterward went into business for himself. He has conducted his printing office very successfully up to the present time.

\$28.95 Jacksonville to El Paso, Tex., and return via THE ALTON Nov. 10, 11 and 12. Final limit Nov. 22, with privilege of extension.

BIDS FOR CHURCH.

Bids will be received until Dec. 15 for the erection of the Christian church, 88x120 feet, at Jacksonville, Ill. Plans are ready. Address A. G. Burr, Jacksonville, Ill.

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For Secretary of State, **JAMES A. ROSE.**
For Attorney General, **WILLIAM H. STEAD.**
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For Auditor, **JAMES S. MCULLOUGH.**
For University Trustee, **MRS. M. A. BUSSEY.**
For State Representative, **CHARLES DAVIDSON.**
For State Representative, **W. L. ABBOTT.**
For State Representative, **C. J. DOYLE.**
For Member State Board of Equalization, **CHARLES E. JONES.**
For Member House of Representatives, **CHARLES FITZGER.**
For Member House of Representatives, **FRANK J. HEINL.**
For Member House of Representatives, **BERT A. VAN WINKLE.**
For Clerk of the Circuit Court, **CHARLES L. HAYDEN.**
For Coroner, **DR. J. H. SPENCER.**
For County Superintendent of Schools, **J. H. D'LONG.**
For County Commissioner, **GEORGE DETRIK.**
For County Surveyor, **MANSELL DUDLEY.**

Remember that a vote for the Republican state ticket means the persons to be chosen are of the right kind and should be elected.

All voters can conscientiously support Frank J. Heinl for the office of legislator. The same can be said of his mate, Charles Fetzner, of Springfield.

In the fiscal year 1890 exports of domestic manufactures amounted to \$151,000,000. In the fiscal year 1900 they amounted to \$425,000,000. Honestly, now, does that look as if protection was losing us the foreign market?

A vote for Roosevelt electors means that we are to have a continuance of the excellent administration that has been such a blessing to the nation for the past eight years.

Vote the straight Republican ticket without a scratch and you will never have anything to regret. A single mark in the ring accomplishes all you wish to do and you can go home with a clear conscience.

Keep in mind the fact that we have a legislature to choose this fall and we should see to it that good men are selected. Frank J. Heinl, of this county, and Charles Fetzner, of Sangamon county, make a team which any person may well be proud to support.

Keep in mind that a vote for Bert VanWinkle means an effort to get the right one for state's attorney. A vote for Charles L. Hayden means the retention in his place of one of the best officials the county ever had. A vote for Dr. Spencer means a vote for a man who made one of the best corners the county ever knew. A vote for J. H. DeLong means the choice of a man eminently qualified for the office of county superintendent of schools. A vote for George Detrick means the choice of one of the best men for commissioner to be had. A vote for Mansell Dudley means the choice of a competent person for the office of surveyor.

The Courier says the Republicans don't like Roosevelt and don't like Denben, but will vote for them from force of habit. Now this is not true. The Republicans do like both these gentlemen and will vote for them from principle. And, while we are about it, wonder if the Courier likes Parker? It said Pyatt's Indian would make a good president for the same reason. Parker would. It said the endorsement of Parker by Grover Cleveland made the issue plain and the voters who supported Bryan should not permit the party to be thus betrayed into the hands of the enemy. It said in reference to Bryan's speech in Chicago that Colonel Bryan needn't have been so hard on Parker, for he is beaten anyhow in his race for the Democratic nomination. Now, in view of these utterances, wouldn't silence on this subject rather become the Democratic organ?

Some of the utterances of Judge Parker leave one wondering whether the man is amazingly innocent or wilfully untruthful. In his zeal for the constitution he severely attacked President Roosevelt and Pension Commissioner Ware in the matter of the famous order relating to the pensions to soldiers beyond the age of 62, and demanding the impeachment of the commissioner, his removal and a mandamus preventing the secretary of the treasury from paying out anything in connection with the order. The reason for all this was found by the ardent defender of the constitution that payment of money from the public treasury is forbidden unless it be duly appropriated. Now the facts are: both the president and the commissioner were acting in the strict line of duty and according to law in promulgating the order, and when it was decided on an estimate of the amount necessary to carry it out was made, the matter reported to congress, suitably discussed and the needed sum was regularly appropriated, and is being paid out in strict accordance with the terms of the constitution, as Judge Parker could easily have ascertained had he taken a little trouble. Was it ignorance or what was it that prompted his speech?

chosen by the coming legislature unless one of the present incumbents should die, and no particularly important political measures are likely to come up. Then a vote for Frank J. Heinl, of this city, and Charles Fetzner of Springfield means that we are sending to the state capital men of business experience and sound judgment; men who can be trusted always to do the right thing at the right time.

PARKER'S IGNORANCE OR—
A short time since a company of distinguished "anti-imperialists" went to ask Judge Parker his views regarding the Philippines. His utterances are discussed at length in the Record-Herald by William E. Curtis, who is an unbiased, capable and absolutely truthful man. Speaking of the incident Mr. Curtis suggests what would have been wise for the judge to say, and then commenting on what he did say, adds:

"In order to please a few admirers he decided to discuss the destiny and the welfare of several millions of people without regard to the facts or considering the consequences. He accuses President Roosevelt of reckless speaking, but Roosevelt never made half as reckless a speech. Judge Parker demonstrated with his own tongue that he is not fit to exercise the authority and assume the responsibilities of the presidency. He shows lack of a sensitive conscience or else the victim of malicious enemies or foolish advisers. The statements he utters are so false and absurd and ridiculous that he deserves more pity than blame. For example, he tells us that 'We have wasted over \$650,000,000 of the people's money and sacrificed over 200,000 lives' in the Philippines. Mr. Bryan, Mr. Hill and several other gentlemen have asserted that the Philippines have cost the people of the United States \$600,000,000. Mr. Olney put the figure at \$700,000,000. Judge Parker splits the difference. It would be interesting to know where he gets his figures."

Mr. Curtis then goes on to compare Judge Parker's statements with the facts. Instead of expending over \$650,000,000 to date the total expenditures, direct and indirect, have been under \$225,000,000. The deaths from all causes—wounds, disease, drowning, battle and all else—have been 155 officers and 4,769 enlisted men from the beginning to date. Regarding this Mr. Curtis says:

"If you will perceive that Judge Parker has either been betrayed or is guilty of gross perversion. Which ever way you look at it, everybody will agree that such absurd and reckless statements do not recommend the man for president of the United States."

He then quotes other specific charges as follows and refutes each one of them by facts indisputable. He says:

"Some of them are infamous; some of them are ridiculous, and some are too preposterous to deny. They are quite as reckless as Judge Parker's own assertions to which I have just referred. It would be difficult for anybody to crowd so many falsehoods into the same space."
"No. 1. 'The officials of the government are dishonest, corrupt and despicable. The islands seem to have succeeded in getting the very dregs of our people.'"
"No government in the world has a more intelligent, honest or industrious corps of employees than is serving under the Philippine commission."

"No. 2. 'Agriculturally the country is for the time ruined. Land is going out of cultivation, the population is ill-fed and in some places unable to get work.'"
"Two years ago there was a terrible drought all over the Philippines and the farmers lost their crops. Famine was averted by an appropriation from congress which was expended for rice and other foods and distributed where it was needed among the people. But is it honest for Judge Parker to hold the government responsible for an act of Providence? Last year, however, prosperity was restored and at the present date there is no spot on earth where the agricultural population is in better condition than in the Philippine islands."

"No. 3. 'The country is overburdened with taxation; disease is prevalent and the farm animals are dead.'"
"The rate of taxation will average 25 per cent lower than under Spanish domination, but under American rule taxes are collected from everybody impartially. Formerly those who had a 'bull' or were disposed to bribe the collectors evaded payment, while others were compelled to pay the last penny. The revenues, therefore, are three and four times as large as they ever were. Since the enforcement of sanitary laws and regulations, the construction of sewers and the purification of the water supply the death rate has been decreased 50 per cent. It is true that more than half the farm animals in the Philippines died from the plague during the great drought of 1902, but is it honest for Judge Parker to charge that calamity to the administration?"

agricultural products are not fixed in Manila, but in the great markets of the world.

"No. 6. 'Public opinion has no free expression; newspapers are bought up or are browbeaten into silence.'"
"Before Judge Parker made such a preposterous assertion he should have examined a file of the Manila Times or the Sunday Sun. The editors of those papers have good ground for a libel suit against him. The criticisms of the administration, which appear daily in the Manila papers, often bitter and violent, are almost without exception based upon its liberality toward the natives; for doing exactly what Judge Parker says it has not done; for giving the Filipinos too much self-government; for promising them independence, and for appointing so many natives to office. Every governor of every province, every mayor of every town except Manila, and almost every provincial and municipal official is a native Filipino. More than 8,000 natives are on the pay rolls, and it is the opinion of the newspapers of Manila, both Democratic and Republican, and of every foreigner, European and American, that 'our little brown brother' already has about as much independence and self-government as he can stand."

"No. 7. 'Days produced in the theaters are conserved.'"
"There is no censorship whatever in the Philippine islands and there has been none since civil government was established."

"No. 8. 'Detectives appear in the guise of servants, and the oath of a single one is enough to destroy a man's reputation, property, liberty or even life itself.'"

When I left Manila last summer there had been four trials for sedition since the establishment of the civil government, the latest in which Dr. Gomez, editor of a native newspaper was defendant, having lasted four months, and he was acquitted upon technicalities; 166 people had been convicted of what may be termed political offenses, including the deluded victims of the Hongkong Junta and other treasonable organizations, and thirty-three persons had suffered the capital penalty, each case having been carefully reviewed by the supreme court. The crimes were murder, arson, rape and highway robbery. There are two detective organizations—one connected with the city police, which works within the municipal lines. Their methods are exactly the same and the weight of their testimony is court is similar to that of the police of New York or any other city. Bishop Brent, of the Episcopal church, in an interview with me published last June, said: "Manila is comparatively free from crime, disorder and drunkenness. Few cities of the size are so well governed or are so free from saloons or vicious classes. There is a surprisingly small amount of crime and vice."

"No. 9. Judge Parker himself declares that 'the islands remain to day utterly untouched for any good' that the United States might have done for them."

This is a most remarkable statement for an American citizen to make. It can only be accounted for by ignorance, malice or prejudice. Does Judge Parker see no good in the establishment of 4,000 schools and the education of more than 200,000 children? Does he realize the value of the public improvements that have been made, the new harbors at Manila, which have cost \$2,836,311 to date, and \$674,535 at Iloilo and Cebu; the widened streets, the pavements, the parks, the sewers, the new water systems, the public highways that have been extended and improved at a cost of \$900,000; the 1,200 schoolhouses that have been built, and the various other improvements upon which millions of dollars have been expended, not from the treasury of the United States, but from the local treasuries of the islands? It would require a page in a newspaper to tell what has been done in the way of public utilities alone by the American government."

And, finally, the Democratic candidate for the presidency asks: "Are the Philippine islands a self supporting community?"

He confesses his ignorance upon this point in almost the same breath that he declares them fit for independence and self government. If Judge Parker had made any preparation for his speech, if he had taken the trouble to inform himself upon the most important conditions, he would have known that the customs revenues alone during the last three or four years have been seventeen, eighteen and nineteen million dollars a year, an increase from three, four and five millions a year during Spanish rule; and that the other revenues have improved in a similar ratio. The islands are not only self supporting; they not only pay every cent of the expenses of their government excepting the maintenance of the 11,000 regular troops now on duty there, but they could afford an exhibit costing a million and a quarter at the St. Louis exposition, and are spending between three and five million dollars a year in the construction of harbors, railways, waterworks, electric light plants, building highways and other public improvements."

If Judge Parker wishes accurate information and wise advice on these subjects he can obtain both by asking Bishop Brent of Manila, Bishop Graves of Shanghai, Bishop McKim of Tokyo, all of whom are attending the Episcopal convention at Boston, or from Father Vattman of the Roman Catholic church, recently retired as chaplain in the army, who now lives at Wilmette, Ill. They have no political prejudices or affiliations, and if they had they would not allow themselves to be influenced thereby in their judgment or their statements. Or why will not Judge Parker consult Governor Luke P. Wright? He is a Democrat from Memphis. He has occupied an eminent position upon the bench, and is regarded by all who know him with admiration, respect and confidence."

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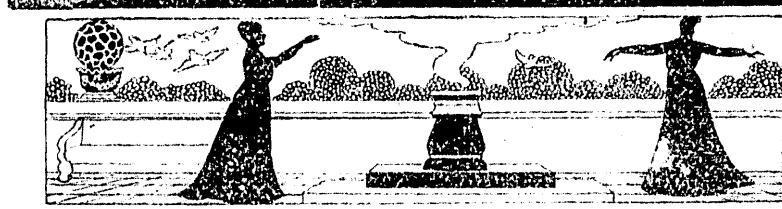
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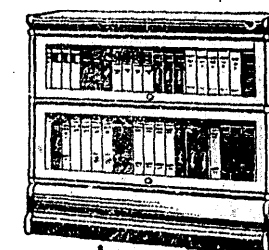
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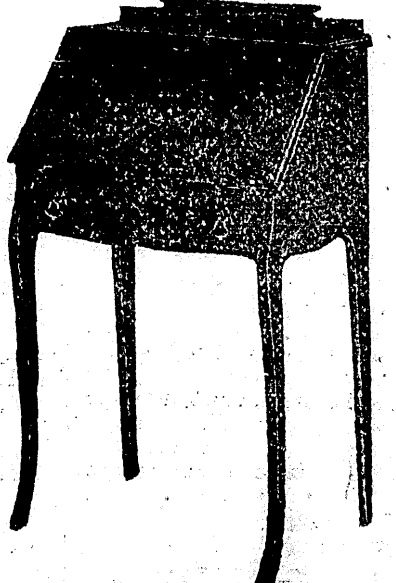
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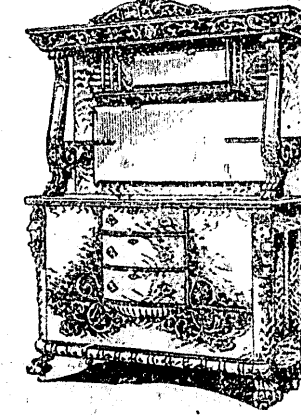
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City and County

J. B. Ogil was in Barry on business Monday.

William Rexroat, of Concord, was in the city Monday.

Frank Graff, of Ashland, was a caller in the city yesterday.

J. F. Kellogg is spending a few days at the world's fair.

A. M. Hallowell and wife are visiting friends in Chicago.

Joel Hubble went to Carthage Monday on a business trip.

Robert Henley was a professional visitor in St. Clair Monday.

Mrs. Trot Gordon, of Lynnville, was a city shopper Monday.

J. W. Ransom, of Franklin, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Clay Watkins, of Atlanta, Ill., was a caller in the city Monday.

D. E. Kennedy was transacting business in Arcadia yesterday.

R. R. Riggan, of Chicago, was in the city on business Monday.

Samuel Ratliff, of Litchberry, called on Jacksonville friends Monday.

James McFillen, of Litchberry, was in the city on business yesterday.

H. H. Richardson and L. Hill left yesterday to attend the world's fair.

W. C. Bealmer, of Sinclair, was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Frank E. Drury, of Arnold, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

W. G. Goebel, of Mercedosa, was visiting relatives in this city Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Convey, of Perry, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. August Koel.

George Brown, of Concord, was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Marcum, of Warsaw, were visitors in the city Monday.

John Green, of Riggston, visited friends and relatives in the city Saturday.

W. G. Spears and Theodore A. Ratliff, of Tallula, were Monday visitors in the city.

George E. Mathews was looking after business interests in Winchester Monday.

Miss May Murray was in the city yesterday enroute to Litchberry, where she will reside.

Mrs. Grace Snelling Holyoke, of Lincoln, Neb., is a guest at the home of Mrs. S. D. Osborne.

Mrs. Emma Johnson and daughter, Miss Helen, of Chicago, are guests of the family of A. D. Brackett.

Mrs. Charles Bevers returned to her home in Peoria Monday, after a brief visit with friends in this city.

The Wednesday Musical club will meet with Mrs. W. D. Roberts, 328 South Church street, at 3:30 p. m.

Judge Owen P. Thompson left for Winchester Monday to open the October session of the circuit court of Scott county.

Roy Ogil, of Park River, N. D., has returned to his home after a two weeks' visit with his aunt, Mrs. Sarah Sheppard.

Vincent S. Richardson has returned to his home in Sadorus, Kans., and Mrs. James I. Richardson will visit in Cerro Gordo before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Baldwin have returned from Carlinville, where Mr. Baldwin had been attending the sessions of the Macoupin circuit court.

Thursday, Oct. 27, at 10 a. m., J. H. Chamberlain will sell at his farm, three miles northeast of Jacksonville, horses, mules, cows, calves, hogs, sheep, wagons, harness, implements, hay, oats, straw, etc.

The continuous installment policy pays the beneficiary an annual income for life. Write for particulars, H. E. Briggs, District Manager Mutual Life Insurance company.

Philip Veal, candidate for governor of the Socialist Labor party, will address the workmen to night in the court house on the issue pertaining to their interest. Everybody welcome.

Congressman Henry T. Rainey, of Carrollton, and his secretary, S. A. Murdock, were in the city Monday on their way to Bluffs, where the congressman delivered an address in the evening.

Andrew J. Zallee, the West State street tailor, has returned from an extensive business trip through Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana, where he had been fitting up a large number of southern gentlemen with high class tailored clothes, such as he has the reputation of making.

Frank J. Heind, who has been nominated for the legislature by the Republicans of Sangamon and Morgan counties, is industriously moving about and getting acquainted, especially with the people of Sangamon. His running mate, Charles Feltzer, of Springfield, will have considerable to say to the voters of this county.

Charles F. Root, of New Haven, Conn., arrived in the city Sunday from Helena, Mont., and will visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Horace Baeroff, for several weeks. Mr. Root says that the campaign in the east has the same quiet aspect that prevails in the west and that in the states of Connecticut and Massachusetts the absence of political activity is quite noticeable.

Attention is again called to the lectures to be given in Odeon hall during November by Miss Belford, an accomplished professional speaker, on an important list of subjects pertaining to housekeeping. The lady will come here under the auspices of the Passavant hospital training school, and while in the city has kindly consented to give these lectures during eight forenoons. Tickets for the course will be two dollars, and for single admission fifty cents. Course tickets are on sale at Franz Bros' grocery store on West State street, and at Weber's grocery, East State.

Mr. A. L. Teagarden, president of the "Shumate Dollar Razor Co.," of Austin, Texas, is in the city in the interest of his company. They make the famous "Shumate Dollar Razor" and "Shumate Honing Strop," either to be retailed for one dollar and absolutely guarantee that none can be made better at any price and every razor is guaranteed indefinitely, and gladly exchanged if unsatisfactory from any cause. They go before the trade with a clean, honorable and interesting proposition. Mr. Teagarden will call on the trade in Jacksonville and surrounding towns.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
I will sell at public sale on Saturday, Oct. 29, 1904, at south door of court house, for cash, on approval by the county court, part of the nw 1/4 of 17-16-10, containing about 30 acres, and belonging to Dennis Fogarty, in sauc.

Frank J. Heind, Conservator.

You are going to attend the entertainments of the I. C. lecture course this year and you won't realize 'till they are all over that it would have cost you only half as much, if you had bought a season ticket. Now on sale at C. H. Smith's music store \$1.00.

THE BIRTH RECORD.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Stone, on East Lafayette avenue, Sunday night, a son weighing 11 1/2 pounds.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

James E. Haley Caught Between Bumpers of Freight Train in Petersburg.

James E. Haley, freight brakeman on the Chicago & Alton, was killed by his own train at Petersburg, Ill., Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. He had uncoupled the train near the center and had given the engineer the signal to go ahead, which order was obeyed. The cars were some distance apart, when the train broke several cars ahead of where they were uncoupled. This let the cars come back again together and Mr. Haley was caught between the drawbars of the two sections of the uncoupled train. He was crushed so that death resulted almost instantly.

The remains were brought to this city on the 4:29 over the C. & A., Monday afternoon and were immediately taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Thompson, 717 Hardin avenue. Mr. Haley was formerly of this city, but a few weeks ago he moved to Roodhouse, where he resided at the time of his death. He was formerly in the employ of the Jacksonville & St. Louis railway and had only been in the employ of the C. & A. for two weeks.

The deceased was born in Indiana and was 35 years of age. He was married to Hannah Welch five years ago. He was a devout member of the Church of Our Savior and is survived by two brothers, Patrick and Richard, both of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Joseph Thompson, to whose residence the remains were taken.

The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the Church of Our Savior.

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STUDENTS' SOCIAL.

The Epworth league of Centenary church gave a social to the students of the city Monday evening. The schools from which the students were invited were the Woman's college, Illinois college, Brown's Business college and the Jacksonville high school. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present and delicious refreshments were served. The reception was a complete success, as was shown by the large number of young people who were present. The Centenary orchestra furnished delightful music for the occasion. The committee was as follows: Verna Keelinger, chairman; Edwin Jackson, Misses Florence English, Louise Ehnert and Myrtle Duncan.

Ladies' hand turn, patent colt, french heel, dress shoes \$3.35 at Hoffman's.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Jason H. Rohrer, deceased; petition of Sallie Rohrer for probate of will. Proof made of notice by clerk to all heirs, legatees, etc. No objections filed. Proof made of due execution of will and same ordered admitted to probate.

Estate of Richard Combs, deceased; petition of Allinson Thomason for probate of will. Same order as above.

Estate of Jacob Duke, deceased; inventory approved.

Estate of Jason H. Rohrer, deceased; petition of Sallie Rohrer for letters testamentary. Same heard and allowed and letters ordered without bond, as per terms of will.

Estate of Richard Combs, deceased; petition of Allinson Thomason for letters testamentary. Same heard and allowed. Bond fixed at \$23,000, and upon filing and approval of same letters to issue as prayed for. Bond as filed approved.

FAIRBANKS COMING

One Hour in Jacksonville Wednesday, Oct. 26.

The route over which the Republican national committee is sending Senator Fairbanks, the Republican candidate for vice president, on his tour through the central states will bring him through Jacksonville Wednesday afternoon of this week.

He will be in the city one hour and the local committee has arranged to have him speak here. A platform will be erected near the Wabash depot in the park south of the building and immediately upon the arrival of the train he will be escorted to the platform.

Senator Fairbanks will arrive in Springfield at 1 o'clock and will spend one hour in that city, where he will speak in the arsenal building.

Because of the short time allotted at both cities, there will be no parade or other demonstration, the whole time being given Mr. Fairbanks for his address.

This will be a splendid opportunity for Jacksonville people to see and hear the candidate for the second place on the Republican ticket and an effort will be made to extend a hearty welcome to the eminent statesman.

JUSTICE COURTS.

Jesse Harris was arraigned before Esquire Gray Monday on the charge of burglary and larceny. He waived examination and in default of bond was committed to jail to appear before the November term of the circuit court. Harris is charged with having broken into the residence of Munroe Harris on the night of Oct. 19, or the morning of the 20th.

In Esquire Henderson's court, Arthur Richards, Frank Sperry, John Walker, Frank Precious, Stephen Swelin and John Now were each fined \$3 and costs for a plain drunk.

Pat Perry was fined \$5 and costs for disturbing the peace.

Thomas Birdsell was arrested on a bench warrant, and being unable to furnish bond was sent up for six months.

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DON'T DELAY.

There are only a very few days left in which to secure one of those 500 season tickets to the I. C. lecture course; \$1.00 at C. H. Smith's music store.

FIRE ALARM.

The fire department was called to the residence of Jack Smith on South East street Sunday evening about 5:15 o'clock by an alarm of fire. A bonfire had ignited a bunch of fodder leaning against the barn, but did no damage. The property is owned by John Cherry.

TO THIN PEOPLE

Valuable Information Given by Druggist Lee P. Allcott.

Druggist Lee P. Allcott gives the following advice to those who want to gain flesh, and it should be of value to everybody in Jacksonville:

"The quickest, surest, and safest way for thin people to gain flesh is to take Vinol, our cod liver oil preparation, and the reason that Vinol is so far superior to anything else to create flesh and strength is because it does actually contain all of the medicinal, curative elements actually taken from genuine fresh cods' livers which no other cod liver oil preparation does, and being without oil or grease to upset the stomach and retard its work, it is a great improvement over old-fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions.

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"Vinol acts upon the stomach in a beneficial way, enabling it to obtain the necessary ingredients from the daily food eaten to make pure, rich, red blood, create flesh and strength, and so sure are we of its action that we freely offer to return the money paid for Vinol in every case where it fails." Lee P. Allcott, Druggist.

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Jacksonville, Ill., Sept. 25, 1902.—Nearly three years ago, with a second attack of serious illness, I was surprised to learn that I had diabetes. Providentially I was led to procure a bottle of Dr. E. W. Hall's Specific for Kidney and Bladder Troubles, known as A TEXAS WONDER. Less than half of the \$1 bottle effected a complete and permanent cure. Consequently I believe it to be a medicine of very great value.
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Yard wide white flannels—all wool, soft and fine—for infants' wear. Silk embroidered on one edge in pretty patterns—easily worth 75c a yard. Special here for 55c a yard.

Taffeta Silk Petticoats, \$5 each

Ladies' silk Undershirts—black and colors—made of splendid quality, rustling taffeta silks—full sizes and lengths, with accordion pleated flounce and silk dust ruffle—a regular \$7.00 Skirt for \$5.00.

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10 Pieces Linen Damasks, 45c yd.

For this week only—about 400 yards of Half Bleached Table Linens, extra heavy, pure linen and now, pretty damask and loom dice designs. Special this week 45c a yard.

Silk Lined Gloves, \$1.00 pair

Ladies' fine Undressed Kid Gloves, silk lined for cold weather wear, fitted to the hand and warrant to wear satisfactorily in black, gray, modes and tans. We've sold 500 pairs of this particular silk lined glove and we can safely recommend them. \$1.00 a pair, usually \$1.25.

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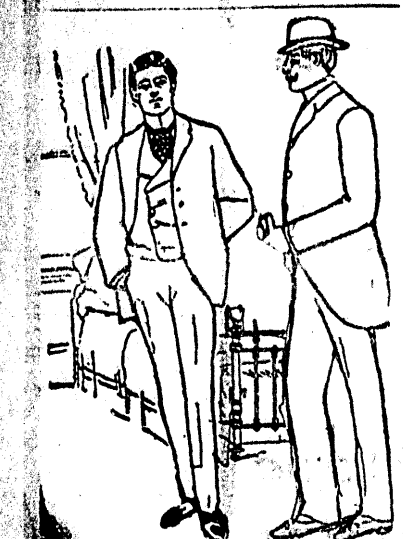
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FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

Uses of Onions.

Those who have eaten raw onions to break up a cold find them truly efficacious. A slice of onion heated and put in the outer ear or the juice of it strained and hot similarly used will relieve earache.

The nerve soothing quality of this bulb is wonderful. It will often induce sleep. The efficacy of onions is well known to the singers of Italy and Spain, who eat them every day to improve the quality of their voices and keep them smooth.

Onion plasters are prescribed to break up hard coughs. They are made of fried onions placed between two pieces of old muslin. The plaster is kept quite hot until the patient is snugly in bed, when it is placed on the chest to stay overnight.

Onion strips are claimed by some to be unequalled as a cure for a bad cold in the chest. Sliced onions will also absorb foul odors in a room should any exist.

Laundry Logic.

Really successful laundry work is done by following these directions: Roll well half a pint of vinegar, half an ounce of soap, two ounces of fuller's earth and the juice of several onions. Spread this over the linen wherever it is soiled and leave it to dry. When dry wash the garment, and the sores will have disappeared.

A mixture that will remove grease from the finest fabrics without injuring them may be made from one quart of rain water, two ounces of ammonia, one teaspoonful of saltpeter and one ounce of shaving soap cut up fine. Put a pad of absorbent cotton or blotting paper under the spot in the garment when rubbing it.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Keeps Curtains Clean.

A young lady of San Francisco has devised the drapery or curtain protector herewith illustrated.

This very clever device could be used by every housewife, and as the parts are very simple there is no danger of anything getting out of order. It consists of a bag of the width of the window, supported by cords, one on each side, which pass over pulleys suspended at the top of the window frame, allowing both ends of the bag to be pulled up at the same time. The curtains will fall naturally into the bag as the latter is raised, and the mouth



DRAPERY PROTECTOR.

of the bag is adapted to close over the upper end of the curtains and prevent any ingress of dust. The bag is provided with a central diagonal slit, through which the hand may be passed to straighten out the folds of the curtains in the bottom of the bag as it is raised and so prevent the curtains being rumpled unnecessarily or catching on the edges. When the sweeping is done the bag is lowered and readily detached. This device would also be of advantage when the room in which the curtains are hung is to remain unused for any considerable length of time.

Older For the Complexion.

Fermented elder is one of the best natural aids to a good complexion. Moreover, it is so generally beneficial to the system, that it brightens the eyes and makes the face and body healthfully vivacious. It has medicinal properties, for the acid of the elder acts at once upon the liver, and there is nothing better than natural acids for urging the organs to do their work. Many yellow and sallow looking skins are due to slow acting livers, and frequently to change the complexion one must apply the remedy to this most important part of the digestive tract rather than to the face.

Rats and Mice.

Copperas is useful not only for disinfecting sinks and drains, but is a strong ally in the warfare against vermin. Walls and floors of cellars and storerooms which are washed with a strong solution of copperas are free from pests and also from rats and mice, which will not stay near places where it has been used. It may be used in the whitewash with good results.—Woman's Home Companion.

Mackintosh Cement.

Cement for joining mackintosh is made thus: Dissolve some shreds of pure India rubber in naphtha or sulphide of carbon to form a stiff paste. Apply a little of the cement to each edge that is to be joined. Being the edges together and place a weight over them until they are hard.

Selecting Beef.

When selecting beef be sure that the flesh is of a clear, bright red, well marbled with white fat and well "blanketed" with firm, white fat. The flesh should be firm and yet easily pressed with the tips of the fingers.

Choosing Apples.

Choose apples that weigh heavily. These are the best, and there is less waste in large ones than in small.

The Lamp Chimney.

If the lamp chimney resists all efforts to make it bright and shining by the use of water try a little alcohol

ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

Olive Oil Valuable as a Food and as a Medicine.

A tablespoonful of olive oil a day, taken internally, will help liver trouble and indigestion.

It is also healing for throat or stomach catarrh.

Serve it frequently in salad dressings, where it will be both appetizer and medicine.

For severe internal disorders or emaciated and run down condition of the body rub the patient every morning for twenty minutes with the oil, then with a bath towel. At night rub the spine for ten minutes, and in two months you will see a great improvement.

Mixed with quinine, then rubbed on the chest and back, it prevents cold. Mixed with camphor, then applied to the throat, it cures soreness. Mixed with kerosene and turpentine, then used on the throat and chest, it relieves the most obstinate cough.

Hungarian Goulash.

Cut two pounds of flank steak into small cubes and arrange on the bottom of a flat bottomed kettle. Season with salt and pepper and cover with a layer of sliced onion, and so on, until the dish is as full as desired. Add sufficient cold water to just show above the meat, then put the kettle over the fire and let it come to a boil. Have in readiness canned or fresh tomatoes, allowing a pint to each quart of meat and potatoes. Pour these into the kettle, but do not stir. Now push the kettle back on the stove and simmer gently two hours or longer if necessary to make the meat perfectly tender. Peel small potatoes of uniform size and put into the kettle, pushing the meat to one side to make room for them. Cook fifteen minutes longer and serve.

For the Kitchen Floor.

In furnishing a house it is no extravagance to cover the kitchen floor with the best quality of linoleum, costing about a dollar and a quarter the square yard. There is practically no wear out to this floor covering, it is easily cleaned and offers no harbor for dust or insects. Linoleum is made of cork, ground in oil and subjected to great pressure. Very good qualities are now made in this country, and the American designs are often very artistic. The patterns are not merely printed on the outside, as in the case of oilcloths, but go clear through the fabric. Thus they endure until the linoleum is worn through.

To Prevent Nightmares.

Nightmares are generally caused by lying on the back while asleep and the pressure of the viscera on two large blood vessels situated near the spine and running parallel therewith. To prevent, tie a large, hard knot in a long towel, or piece of muslin, etc., in the middle, then fasten the towel around the waist in such a manner as to have the knot over the spine. When the sleeper happens to turn on her back the hard knot will feel so uncomfortable that she will be compelled to roll over on either side.

Weak and Sore Eyes.

Weak and sore eyes are not infrequent with young children, and it will be found a good plan to pour some tea which is all but cold into a saucer kept for this purpose and use this to bathe the eyes with. If both eyes are bad one should be finished and dabbed dry before the other is touched, and for the second one another rag should be used, the tea thrown away and a fresh supply taken. The rag should be thrown on the fire directly it is done with.

Grape Wine.

Stem ripe grapes and crush the juice from them. After straining them strain through a bag, pressing them hard. To each quart of the juice add a half pound of sugar and turn into a jar to ferment. Cover the top with cheesecloth. Set away until fermentation ceases and the wine is clear and still. Then pour off carefully and bottle.

To Toughen Lamp Chimneys.

To prevent lamp chimneys from cracking wrap each chimney loosely but entirely in a cloth, place them together in a kettle and cover with cold water. Bring the water to a boil. Continue the heat ten or fifteen minutes and then cool off. By this tempering they are toughened against all ordinary lamp heat.

Keeping Cheese Fresh.

The housekeeper on the farm will find it economy to buy a large piece of cheese at a time, brushing it over with a thin film of fresh butter to keep the cut parts soft and fresh, then wrapping it in oiled paper.

For Heartburn.

Some people are never troubled with heartburn, but if a piece of orange peel is dried and eaten it cures it directly.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY

Governor of Wisconsin.

Governor Robert M. La Follette, leader of that faction of the Republican party in Wisconsin known as the "half breeds," the other wing being denominated "antworts," is a man of strong personality and a most determined fighter.

Robert M. La Follette.



ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE.

In 1880 was admitted to the bar. Entering politics, he was elected to congress in 1887 and re-elected in 1889 and while there took a prominent part in framing the McKinley bill. In 1896 and 1898 he was a candidate for governor of Wisconsin, but was defeated both times. In 1900, however, he won the goal. Two years later he was re-elected and is now a candidate for a third term. Governor La Follette is forty-nine years old.

What's in a Name?

On one occasion North Ovington Messenger, a Washington political writer, was doing reporter work and was assigned to interview Murt Halstead, somewhat of a political writer himself. Mr. Messenger sent his card up to Mr. Halstead, bearing the words "N. O. Messenger" and no other designation as to his business. The old newspaper man sent word for the young one to come up. He was met at the door of Mr. Halstead's room with cordiality. Mr. Halstead had his caller's card in his hand.

"Um—er," he hesitated, "glad to see you. Come in—but what is the New Orleans Messenger? I never heard of that paper before."—Denver Republican.

Dog Ought to Be Mad.

Stuart Morgan Aldrich, Senator Aldrich's son, has a violent distaste for street dogs.

In Washington one day a yellow cur ran yelping and snapping at his legs, and the young man turned and gave the animal a kick.

"Say, there, what did you kick my dog for?" a red faced man exclaimed.

"The dog is mad," said Mr. Aldrich.

"Ah, it ain't mad!" shouted the owner.

Mr. Aldrich laughed.

"Well, I would be," he said, "if anybody were to kick me like that."—Boston Post.

Snubbed by Russia.

Don Jaime, son of Don Carlos, pretender to the Spanish throne, who is with the czar's army in the far east, has been forbidden by the Russian authorities to write any more letters to the Italian press on the situation in Manchuria.

Don Jaime has been distinguishing himself in various ways since he has

Don Jaime.



DON JAIME.

been in the far east. His prophecies of what the Russians were going to do to the Japanese surpassed the predictions of even the most sanguine officials in St. Petersburg, while his descriptions of Japanese atrocities caused a sensation for a time, although they received little credence even in the pro-Russian European newspapers.

According to his own account, Don Jaime, after seeing dead Russian soldiers who had been mutilated by Japanese, drew up a proclamation, which he signed with his royal signature, imploring the Japanese to desist from such practices. This proclamation was left so that the Japanese could read it when the Russians advanced north with the enemy behind them.

General Oka afterward made an explicit denial of Don Jaime's charges.

HOW HE PASSED THEM

(Original.)

"When poverty comes in at the door, Tom, love flies out of the window." "It shouldn't, Molly."

"But it does. If you had plenty of money I'd love you as I did when I married you. But now, slaving as I do—"

"It isn't so much that, Molly; it's seeing other women enjoying the splendor of wealth."

"No matter what's the cause, my mind's made up."

Tom Beverly made no reply. He knew that "a willful woman must have her own way." One day a few months after this interview he came home to find her gone. She left a note saying that she had no fault to find with him except that his poverty made life a burden to them both. He wrote her that he regretted her inability to take comfort with him in a homely way; that he was not a "dog in a manger," and if she found an opportunity to marry a fortune he would not stand in her way.

Mrs. Beverly was an attractive woman and soon found just such an opportunity as her husband had referred to. She wrote Beverly asking if he would stand by his word and help her get a divorce. Beverly, who had vainly hoped his course would bring her back to him, was much disappointed, but he kept his promise and signed a paper confessing to a number of sins, any one of which would turn any wife against him. Mrs. Beverly got her divorce and became Mrs. Willard. She had married Beverly for love; Willard she married for money.

The first time Beverly saw his former wife after their separation he was striding along on foot from business. She was riding with her second husband in a glittering equipage with both coachman and footman. The sight gave the deserted man a shock. His philosophy was all gone out of him. Still he was too generous to grudge the couple their wealth. But he was human enough to wish to surpass them in their own luxuries. He then and there made a resolve that he would one day drive by the couple in a more resplendent carriage and horses than they possessed.

Beverly was still a young man. He had been laying the foundation for his business, drawing a niggardly sum for living expenses, often making nothing, and when he made anything above expenses leaving it in his business for capital. It was this that had tired out his wife. The first year after she left him he made a fine unexpected profit. This put him on his feet, and following his resolve, he expanded his business and made money rapidly. In five years he was a rich man, and in five years more he was more than a millionaire.

Meanwhile Willard, who was a daring speculator, was getting on the wrong side of the cotton market, and his fortune was melting away. Beverly had been too poor to move in the same set with him and his wife and consequently had not kept track of them. By the time Beverly had accumulated sufficient means to live as they did Willard had lost everything and retired with his wife to a dingy cottage in the suburbs. Consequently Beverly did not even hear of their altered circumstances.

One day Beverly was trying a new pair of horses he had purchased. They were high steppers, their harness was gold mounted, and on the rear seat of the sparkling drag behind them sat two liveried lackeys with folded arms. Beverly came upon the last carriage of a funeral procession. He was obliged to check his restive horses for awhile; but, coming to a point where the road widened, he pushed on beside the train. Passing the mourners' carriage, a woman in widow's weeds sat looking out of the half-drawn curtain. Beverly glanced aside and in the melancholy face saw for only a moment the features of his former wife.

For ten years he had struggled to be able to pass her and the man who had supplanted him with a finer equipage than theirs. Alas for human triumphs! When they came they wither. The woman he had desired to excel was riding in a common cab, her husband in a hearse.

Beverly drove on to the city, where he learned all the late happenings to his rival and the woman who could not wait for fortune to come by slow process; if indeed it would ever come. When the widow returned to her shabby home she found a note there addressed in a well known hand.

She opened it, and out thithered a check. "It was for a thousand dollars and was signed 'Thomas Beverly.' The note read:

"For ten years I have struggled to possess the means to outdo you and the man who took my place. This was to be my revenge. Death and misfortune have deprived me of it. I wish for no revenge, but if you can find it in your heart to use the check I enclose you will give me comfort. The next day the check was returned with a note:

"I would gladly give you comfort, Tom, and I am not too proud to accept your kind offer. It is simply a crushing sense of my unworthiness and your superiority. Providence gave me the means to be happy, but I threw happiness away. I cannot atone for my fault. I can only bear a merited punishment and work my way to self-respect.

Two years passed, during which the woman worked faithfully and patiently. Then Tom Beverly convinced her that she could better atone for her fault by comforting him, and they remarried. Old age with them was tinged with sadness at what they had lost; otherwise they were happy.

MARY BROWN COLCLAZER.



Mrs. L. C. Glover, Vice Pres. Milwaukee, Wis., Business Woman's Association, is another one of the million women who have been restored to health by using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: I was married for several years and no children blessed my home. The doctor said I had a complication of female troubles and I could not have any children unless I could be cured. He tried to cure me, but after experimenting for several months, my husband became disgusted, and one night when we noticed a testimonial of a woman who had been cured of similar trouble through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, he went out and bought a bottle for me. I used your medicine for three and one half months, improving steadily in health, and in twenty-two months a child came. I cannot fully express the joy and thankfulness that is in my heart. Our home is a different place now, as we have something to live for, and all the credit is due to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Yours very sincerely, Mrs. L. C. GLOVER, 614 Grove St., Milwaukee, Wis." Vice President, Milwaukee Business Woman's Ass'n.

Women should not fail to profit by the experience of these two women; just as surely as they were cured of the troubles enumerated in their letters, just so certainly will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure others who suffer from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability, and nervous prostration. Remember that it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that is curing women, and don't allow any druggist to sell you anything else in its place.

An Indiana Lady Tells of a Wonderful Cure:—

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: It is a pleasure for me to write and tell what your wonderful medicine has done for me. I was sick for three years with change of life, and my physician thought a cancerous condition of the womb. During these three years I suffered untold agony.

"I cannot find words in which to express my feelings. I did not expect to see another well day. I read some of the testimonials recommending your medicine and decided to write to you and give your treatment a trial.

"Before I had taken half a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I began to sleep. I have taken now six bottles and am so well I can do all kinds of work."—Mrs. LIZZIE HINKLE, Salem, Ind.

If there is anything in your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. She can surely help you, for no person in America can speak from a wider experience in treating female ills. Address is Lynn, Mass.; her advice is free and always helpful.

\$5000 FOR EACH TESTIMONIAL, which will prove their absolute genuineness.

Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

DR. GOSSON'S KIDNEY AND BLADDER CURE

Is Guaranteed to Positively, Quickly and Permanently CURE Bright's Disease, Backache, Dropsy, Gravel, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Gout, Weak Heart, every Urinary Disorder, Aching Pains over the Blips and Kidneys, Dimmed Vision, Periodical Headaches, Pain in Urthra, Despondency or "Blues," Sallow Complexion, Foul Breath, Bad Taste in the Mouth, in fact all Irregularities caused by and associate symptoms of Bladder and Kidney Trouble in any form. No matter how long you have suffered, how terrible your affliction may be, Dr. Gosson's Kidney and Bladder Cure will cure you. It eradicates toxily and completely any irregularity or symptom of Kidney and Bladder Trouble and puts those most vital organs in as perfect and healthy condition as in childhood. It never fails.

Dr. Gosson's Kidney and Bladder Cure brings health and comfort and adds years to life, even after all other medicines and physicians have utterly failed. It is guaranteed to cure or money refunded.

CURED BY ONLY TWO BOXES.

DR. GOSSON CO., Chicago, Ill. NEW HAVEN, CONN. Dear Sir: I have been troubled with my back and kidneys for the past year and at times my back was very bad and I could not get on my feet. I tried everything and I saw your ad for free samples of Dr. Gosson's Kidney and Bladder Cure and I had it and the result was, once. Two boxes entirely cured me and I think it the best cure for kidney trouble. WM. T. JACKSON, 31 Whiting Street.

Why suffer longer? Why drag out your life in misery and cut off years of your life, when you, like thousands of others who have been permanently cured by Dr. Gosson's Kidney and Bladder Cure, can have perfect health and live to a ripe and rugged old age? You owe it to yourself to be cured now.

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In 2-Pie 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums. MERRELL-SOULE CO. SYRACUSE, NEW YORK

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Our new Suits and Overcoats send you greeting, and earnestly invite you to call to see them. They're proud of their appearance and they're somewhat "stuck up." They have reason to be, too, for they are certainly the handsomest garments that ever graced a Clothing House.

It matters not what your preference may be as to the style or cut of a Suit or Overcoat.

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The man who comes to us for his outfit will find himself in clover. We'll quote no prices, because prices count for nothing unless you see the garments. If you come here for your clothes you'll get the BEST Clothes your money can buy anywhere.

You Can Bank on This Statement.

The more you know about our kind of Clothes, our prices, and our business methods, the better you'll like us.

F. A. MOSELEY, V. P. M. H. HAVENHILL, Sec'y-Treas

INDICATIONS.

Washington, Oct. 25.—For Illinois: Fair and colder Tuesday; fresh northwest winds. Wednesday fair.

AT THE GRAND.

The Dodge & Bowman Amusement company opened a three nights' engagement at the Grand last evening, and delighted an audience that filled the house. The program, as advertised, consisted of "animated pictures and polka vaudeville," and presented a varied array of interesting and first class features. The comedy sketches of Abbott and Weaver and McGee and Collins were received with uproarious applause, as were also Joe McGee in his buck and wing dancing, and Edward Poulter as the happy tramp.

The illustrated songs of McGee and Wells were something out of the ordinary and were loudly cheered. The moving pictures and the "Walpurgis Night" also made a big hit with the audience.

The company promises special features for each evening.

TROLLEY RIDE.

The freshman class of the Woman's college took the juniors for a trolley ride Monday afternoon. The cars were decorated with the junior colors, olive and gold. A great "000" pennant floated from the rear car. The girls were kept busy guessing for what place they were bound until the car switched off on South Main street. Then each settled herself for a good ride and dreamed of the pleasures awaiting her at Nichols park. They rowed until after sunset, when a splendid supper was served in the pavilion. After supper a large bonfire was lighted and story telling became a part of the program.

Later in the evening the party returned to the college, having enjoyed a most delightful outing.

DO YOU REALIZE?

That the best lecture course that has ever been in Jacksonville is about to commence and you have neglected to buy a season ticket. \$1.00 at C. H. Smith's.

MATRIMONIAL

WARREN-PIKE.

In Squire Reid's office Monday morning Sention Warren and Miss Gertrude Pike, both of this city, were married by the justice in his most accomplished and polite manner.

PROF. FRANK HALL HERE.

Prof. Frank H. Hall, of Aurora, formerly superintendent of the School for the Blind in this city, is a guest of Captain and Mrs. Freeman at the institution and Monday, at the chapel service, addressed the students on "Nature Studies." He spoke of the work of the agricultural college of the University of Illinois, and more especially of the work of Dr. Burrill with reference to the bacteriological research work. He gave an interesting description of the experimental work relative to the bacteria which have to do with the preservation of milk and milk products—testing the results of exposing prepared plates in a barn when it was dirty and clean, and on wet days and dry days. The talk was very interesting and instructive and was appreciated by the students, who accorded the former superintendent a warm welcome.

Professor Hall will leave today for the southern part of the state, where he will deliver addresses to sixty-five county institutes.

Boys' shoes at Hoffman's.

A DOZEN TIMES A NIGHT. Mr. Owen Dunn, of Benton Ferry, W. Va., writes: "I have had kidney and bladder trouble for years, and it became so bad that I was obliged to get up at least a dozen times a night. I never received any permanent benefit."

W. B. Mansfield, of Riley, Kans., returned home Monday, after a visit with his father, J. B. Mansfield, of Franklin. He will stop at the world's fair enroute.

PETERSBURG FIRE

Forty-five Horses Meet Death in Livery Stable Disaster—Loss \$45,000.

Petersburg was visited by a disastrous fire Sunday evening, when Aachto & Hornback's livery barn burned, destroying forty-five head of horses, 5,000 bushels of oats, 150 tons of hay and the entire stock of vehicles, entailing a loss of about \$45,000.

The fire is thought to have been the work of incendiaries. It started just as many of the residents of the city were returning from the evening church services, and made such rapid headway that the efforts of the fire department were unavailing, and the building and contents were destroyed. There were fifty-one horses in the barn and only five were saved. Very few of the vehicles were removed from the burning structure.

The barn was a two-story brick building on North Main street, two blocks from the public square. The loss will be very heavy, as it was only partially covered by insurance.

Fuel. Walton & Co.

A VERY REMARKABLE REMEDY.

"It is with a good deal of pleasure and satisfaction that I recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Druggist A. W. Sawtelle, of Hartford, Conn. "Recently a gentleman came into my store so overcome with colic pains that he sank at once to the floor. I gave him a dose of this remedy which helped him. I repeated the dose and in fifteen minutes he left my store smilingly informing me that he felt as well as ever." For sale by all leading druggists.

Misses and children's school shoes, 95c. \$1.19 and \$1.45 at Hoffman's.

FAIRBANKS' TRAVELS

Republican Vice Presidential Candidate Has Made Great Stumping Tour—Will Speak Here Wednesday.

When he finishes the itinerary mapped out for him, Vice Presidential Candidate Fairbanks will have broken the record of all Republican campaigners, and closely approach that of Bryan made in 1896.

Sixty days of continuous traveling and speaking, Sundays only excepted, nearly 20,000 miles of railroad travel and in the neighborhood of 300 speeches delivered, will be the record of the Indiana senator.

The last itinerary dates from Oct. 24 and takes the senator through Ohio, Michigan, Illinois and Missouri. He arrives at St. Louis Oct. 28. He will then go to Indiana and put in a week in his own state.

The senator started speaking Sept. 6 and did his first work in Vermont. Then he toured all the New England states, including New York, West Virginia and Maryland. Then he started on the western tour, which took him to San Diego, in California, and during the nineteen days he made 113 speeches. Then he spoke in Chicago and Milwaukee and started east. Under the auspices of the eastern bureau he has been speaking since Oct. 12 almost literally night and day.

Now he is back for a tour through the states above named. He will speak up to the 6th of November, which will be an even two months on his special car. The remarkable thing about the tour is the fact that up to this time Senator Fairbanks has not been obliged to cancel a date owing to physical disability. His voice shows no hoarseness and he appears as fresh, according to all accounts, as the day he started.

Senator Fairbanks will speak in this city at the Washburn depot park Wednesday afternoon about 3 o'clock.

TARKINGTON IN POLITICS.

Booth Tarkington writes another of his political stories for the November number of McClure's, which he calls "The Need of Money," and this need furnishes theme and motive for his tale which narrates the fall of Uncle Billy Rollinson, the spotless legislator, "a man as honest as the day is long." Before the sophistry and specious argument of the lobbyists and his own deep solicitude for the salvation of his son from disgrace, Uncle Billy fell from the ranks of purity, and great and dramatic "was the fall thereof." Mr. Tarkington graphically describes the manner of the falling. The author knows his field, and his characters walk and talk through the pages like real men. He has drawn a wonderful character sketch of Uncle Billy, whose like we all may know, and raises our hearty sympathy for the erring old legislator. "It's not for us to judge too much."

THE ALTON has issued a folder, entitled "SIX DAYS AT THE WORLD'S FAIR," that is of great interest to those who expect to attend, as it tells how to spend the time to the best advantage in seeing the fair in one week. Get one of them before starting and don't forget that THE ONLY WAY TO THE GREAT FAIR is via THE ALTON.

HAS LARGE CONTRACT.

The Savannah (Ga.) Press of recent date contains a notice of the letting of the contract for a large ten-story bank building in that city to the General Supply and Construction company, of New York city, of which R. P. Taylor, son of Frank P. Taylor, of this city, is president. The paper also tells of other large contracts which Mr. Taylor has handled and speaks in very complimentary terms of his work in the past.

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A LARGE CONTRACT.

What Hatch Wants Every Person in Jacksonville to Do.

When Hatch, the enterprising druggist, first offered a 50 cent package of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at a special price and guaranteed to return the money if it did not cure, he thought it probable from his experience with other medicines for these diseases, that he would have a good many packages returned. But although he has sold hundreds of bottles, not one has been brought back.

This is so surprising that he has taken the contract to introduce Dr. Howard's specific in at least half the homes of Jacksonville, and to do that he will continue his special price introductory offer.

Hatch wants every person in Jacksonville who has constipation, dyspepsia, headaches, or liver troubles to come to his store or send him 25 cents by mail and get 60 doses of the best medicine ever made at half the regular price, with his personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

DEATH RECORD

FINNEY.

Patrick Finney, an old and respected resident of this city, passed away at his home on South Clay avenue at 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening, after a long illness, during which he bore his sufferings patiently.

Deceased was born in Roscommon county, Ireland, in the year 1822, and came to this country when still a young man. He was a resident of this county for over fifty years, the greater part of which time he spent in this city. He always maintained the character of an honest and upright man and had many friends who will sincerely mourn his loss. He was a kind and loving parent and will be greatly missed by his only daughter, Mrs. William Tobin, and eight grandchildren, who survive.

The funeral services will be held from the Church of Our Savior this morning at 9 o'clock, and interment will be in Calvary cemetery.

The violin solo played by Professor Haberkorn at Westminster church Sunday morning was greatly enjoyed and was a fine tribute to his ability as a musician.

TO ENTER BRITISH SOCIETY.

London, Oct. 24.—Mrs. Potter Palmer, the handsome widow of the Chicago millionaire, who gained much social distinction as president of the board of lady managers of the Columbian exposition in 1893, is negotiating for the lease of a magnificent mansion in London.

It is understood that Mrs. Palmer is ambitious to attack the citadel of English society. Certainly no American woman will have a better opportunity. She is a friend of May Goelet, the present duchess of Roxburghe, and has entertained royalty extensively.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

No one who is acquainted with its good qualities can be surprised at the great popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It not only cures colds and grip effectually and permanently, but prevents these diseases from resulting in pneumonia. It is also a certain cure for croup. Whooping cough is not dangerous when this remedy is given. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. It is also pleasant to take. When all of these facts are taken into consideration it is not surprising that people in foreign lands, as well as at home, esteem this remedy very highly and very few are willing to take any other after having once used it. For sale by all leading druggists.

AT THE COURT HOUSE.

Capt. Jacob Hoofstetter, of Sterling, Ill., delivered a temperance address in the circuit court room Monday evening before a small crowd. He is an earnest and forceful speaker and was accorded close attention by his auditors.

POLICE NEWS.

Dan Long was arrested by Policeman Murgatroyd and Frank Precious by Captain Kennedy and Policeman Fernandez. Both were charged with drunkenness.

CERTAINTY AGAINST UNCERTAINTY. It is commented upon by business men and politicians everywhere that close as it is upon the eve of a national election there is almost entire absence of the usual disturbance of business conditions. The customary fall slack down has failed to slack this time. Thus far there is no serious complaint of dull times due to the uncertainty over the outcome of the elections.

A ready reason can be found for this state of affairs, subject to only one interpretation. The people at large know that if the Republican party is continued in power in the presidency and the house of representatives there will be no alterations of government policies; no startling changes in legislation and that governmental affairs will run along upon the same even keel and over the same smooth sailing course of prosperity of the last few years. Taken in connection with this view the widespread belief that the Republicans are heading to victory an explanation of the complacency of the country is at hand.

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Your Autumn Clothing

Our stocks are now at their fullest and best and you have an almost unlimited choice of styles, fabrics and patterns. Don't delay another day in making your selection of an autumn suit and overcoat. Come and

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and let us show you how fashionably we can outfit you at little cost. There is much to interest you here, and should you make a purchase, we will see to it that the garments fit you perfectly and are entirely satisfactory to you before leaving the store.

Fashionable Fall Suits For Men and Young Men

Every new style, fabric, pattern and coloring is in the collection. No matter how particular you are or what price you want to pay, you'll find something to suit you. The coats are fashioned with broad, shapely shoulders, snug fitting collar; the vests are single breasted, the trousers cut full, slightly tapering to instep.

\$10 to \$25

Stylish Fall Overcoats For Men and Young Men

Every style from short, jaunty Covert Top Coat to the 52-inch long Rain Coat, is in the collection and no matter what the price may be, every garment is worth from \$2 to \$5 more, besides being superior in style, tailoring and material to overcoats usually sold for that much more at other stores.

\$10 to \$25

Smart Autumn Clothes For Boys

Nowhere in this town will you find a finer assortment of clothing for boys, nor garments that are their equal in style, materials and tailoring. If you are economically inclined, our prices will appeal to you.

Seeberger & Bro.

It surely must be accepted as a compliment to a great political party that prospect of its continued control by the arms of government should beget confidence, alway distrust and keep business moving. But it is quite reasonable that this should be so.

If there was prospect of a Democratic victory at the polls this year what would be the situation now? Judging from past experience, there would be widespread apprehension. While it is true the Democrats could not in this election obtain control of every branch of government, still the possession of the executive and one of the important co-ordinate branches would give ground for distrust of the outcome. It would mean a change of some kind. Business does not want a change. It wants to be let alone.

Widespread apprehension would mean the curtailment of output of factories, the withdrawal of capital, the discharge of laborers and general distress. If that occurs on the very fear of a Democratic victory, how important it is that every voter who does not want a change should see to it that there is none.

The people know what the Republican party intends to do and can forecast the next two years and the next four years to a nicety, with the Republicans in power. They have approved the course of the Republicans up to this time. They do not know what the Democrats would do for a number of elections past they have declined to give the Democrats a chance to show what they would do.

Don't give them a chance this year, either.

READ DAILY JOURNAL, 16C WEEK.

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Animated Pictures, Illustrated Songs, High Class Specialties

Introducing the Latest Novelties

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and

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Prices—10c, 20c and 30c. Seats on sale Friday.

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If you would have the meal on time, the turkey perfect and everybody satisfied. Buck's oven is large, roomy, thoroughly ventilated, with white enamel lining to oven doors and racks. Bakes evenly, quickly and thoroughly.



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New Styles are Being Shown in Patents.

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South Side Shoe Men.

The most important thing in a gentleman's dress is his footwear. The appearance of his footwear is the standard by which he is always judged. To procure a shoe that will maintain its shapely appearance until the shoe is worn out is desirable and very hard to secure.

Stacy-Adams Shoes

To secure the very best that is put in shoes you should try a pair of Stacy, Adams' shoes. They fit, they wear, they keep their shape and are strictly up-to-date in every respect. Newlasts, all leathers, one price \$5.00. If you like good shoes, try a pair of Stacy, Adams' shoes.

